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SUBJ: FLEC NAMES FIRST GOVERNMENT OF REPUBLIC OF CABINDA

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1. FLEC PRESIDENT RANQUE FRANQUE, WHO ON AUGUST 1 AT KAMPALA DECLARED CABINDAN INDEPENDENCE, HELD A PRESS CONFERENCE IN KINSHASA AUGUST 13 AT WHICH HE ANNOUNCED COMPOSITION OF "FIRST GOVERNMENT OF THE REPUBLIC OF CABINDA", AS FOLLOWS:

- PRIME MINISTER: FRANCISCO-XAVIER LUBOTA
- DELEGATE MINISTER OF THE PRESIDENCY: EDUARDO SOZINHO
- MINISTER OF FOREIGN AFFAIRS: CHARLES SUMBU-PENA
- MINISTER OF ECONOMY: THEODORE MUVUNGU
- MINISTER OF FINANCE: JOSE BASTOS

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- MINISTER OF PETROLEUM, MINES AND ENERGY: ERNESTO OLIVEIRA

- MINISTER OF DEFENSE AND SECURITY: COLONEL JEAN DA COSTA
- MINISTER OF EDUCATION: BARROS
- MINISTER OF INFORMATION: JOSE MARIA MUILA
- MINISTER OF HEALTH: DR. BERNARD MAKWAMBALA
- MINISTER OF SOCIAL AFFAIRS: NORBERT ITOULA
- MINISTER OF THE INTERIOR: ALBERTO NGOMA
- MINISTER FOR YOUTH: ANTONIO MARIA SUCULATE
- SECRETARY OF STATE FOR EDUCATION: ARNALDO DUARTE CAPITAO
- SECRETARY OF STATE OF PETROLEUM, MINES AND ENERGY: NARCISSE PUATI
- SECRETARY OF STATE FOR SOCIAL AFFAIRS: BASILIO DIOGO-FINGER
- SECRETARY OF STATE FOR FINANCES: DOMINGOS GIMBY
- SECRETARY OF STATE FOR INFORMATION: FRANCISCO NUNES.

2. IN COURSE OF PRESS CONFERENCE RANQUE FRANQUE SAID FIRST TASK OF NEW GOVERNMENT IS TO REPEL THE INVADER "FROM WHEREVER HE MAY COME" AND TO BUILD NEW SOCIETY WITH HELP OF ALL CABINDANS, INCLUDING THOSE LIVING ABROAD WHOSE PATRIOTIC DUTY IT IS TO RETURN HOME. INDICATED INTENT EVENTUALLY TO ESTABLISH DEFINITIVE GOVERNMENT OF NATIONAL UNION AND ASSEMBLY FOLLOWING FREE ELECTIONS ONCE COMPLEX TASKS ARE COMPLETED. CALLED ON FOREIGN FIRMS IN CABINDA TO CONTINUE OPERATIONS AS IN PAST, AND WELCOMED ALL WHO WISH TO INVEST IN CABINDA. DENOUNCED MPLA MILITARY RABBLE WHO, WITH PORTUGUESE CONNIVANCE, HAVE FORCED CABINDANS TO FLEE COUNTRY. NEW GOVERNMENT WILL BE INSTALLED SHORTLY ON CABINDAN SOIL. RANQUE FRANQUE SAID FURTHER THAT, IN EXPELLING THE INVADER, FLEC COUNTS ON THE COLLABORATION OF NEIGHBORING COUNTRIES WHOSE POSITION CONCERNING THIS PROBLEM IS WELL KNOWN.

3. LUIZI BALLU, FOREIGN MINISTER IN PROVISIONAL REVOLUTIONARY GOVERNMENT OF CABINDA (GRPC) PROCLAIMED AT PARIS (REFTTEL), COMMENTED ON FORMATION OF RANQUE FRANQUE GOVERNMENT IN PRESS STATEMENT ISSUED KINSHASA AUGUST 13. BALLU SAID RANQUE FRANQUE GOVERNMENT WAS HASTILY FASHIONED FOLLOWING HIS FAILURE TO OBTAIN HEARING AT KAMPALA. REPROACHED RANQUE FRANQUE FOR REMAINING OUTSIDE CABINDA, FOR LACK OF CONCERN FOR CABINDAN REFUGEES, AND FOR TRYING - DESPITE LACK OF SUPPORT IN CABINDA - TO GIVE ILLUSION OF POPULARITY BY SURROUNDING HIMSELF WITH 50 OR SO WELL-TO-DO CABINDANS IN KINSHASA. STATEMENT CONCLUDED THAT GRPC ONLY GUARANTOR OF TRUE INDEPENDENCE OF CABINDA. GRPC PROGRAM AS FOLLOWS:

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- A) COMPLETE LIBERATION OF COUNTRY.
- B) ORGANIZATION OF FREE AND DEMOCRATIC ELECTIONS BEFORE NOVEMBER 11, 1975.
- C) INSTALLATION OF A CENTRAL GOVERNMENT IN THE INTERIOR OF CABINDA BEFORE NOVEMBER 11, 1975
- D) SOLEMN PROCLAMATION OF CABINDAN INDEPENDENCE TO BE MADE INSIDE CABINDA BEFORE NOVEMBER 11, 1975.

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